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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP2003/010612	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE September 24, 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED September 24, 2002									
TITLE OF INVENTION A SOUND-ABSORBING AND SOUNDPROOFING PANEL											
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Adler Plastic S.P.A.											
Applicant herewith submits to the United	plicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:										
1. X This is a FIRST submission of items	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.										
2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUEN	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.										
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4. The US has been elected (Article 3	The US has been elected (Article 31).										
5. X A copy of the International Applica	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))										
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b. has been communicated	b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.										
c. is not required, as the a	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).										
6. An English language translation of	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).										
a. is attached hereto.	a. is attached hereto.										
b. has been previously su	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
7. Amendments to the claims of the	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))										
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8. An English language translation	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).										
9. X An oath or declaration of the inve	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).										
10. An English language translation of Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).										
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:											
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12. X An assignment document for reco	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.										
13. A preliminary amendment.	A preliminary amendment.										
14. An Application Data Sheet under	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.										
15. A substitute specification.	A substitute specification.										
16. A power of attorney and/or chang	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.										
17. A computer-readable form of the	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.										
18. A second copy of the published In	A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
20. X Other items or information: Int'l S	Other items or information: Int'l Search Report; Form PCT/IB/371; Form PCT/RO/101; Form PCT/IB/308; and Return postcard										

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